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April 13, 1998

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THRU: Joe Helfrich, Permit Supervisor *gh*
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FROM: Sharon Falvey, Senior Reclamation Specialist *SKF*

RE: Ditch 7-D extension, Co-Op Mining Company, Bear Canyon Mine, ACT/015/025-98A,
Folder #2, Emery County, Utah.

SUMMARY:

The permittee submitted this amendment for Division approval on April 1, 1998. The permittee provided a complete and adequate submittal except for a minor exclusion. The permittee needs to update the disturbed area discussion in the plan pertaining to ASCA, BTCA area "V". The reason or cause for the additional disturbance was not presented in the amendment.

Analysis:

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS: **OPERATION PLAN**

HYDROLOGIC OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

Regulatory Reference: 30 CFR Sec. 773.17, 774.13, 784.14, 784.16, 784.29, 817.41, 817.42, 817.43, 817.45, 817.49, 817.56, 817.57; R645-300-140, -300-141, -300-142, -300-143, -300-144, -300-145, -300-146, -300-147, -300-148, -301-512, -301-514, -301-521, -301-531, -301-532, -301-533, -301-536, -301-542, -301-720, -301-731, -301-732, -301-733, -301-742, -301-743, -301-750, -301-761, -301-764.

The permittee provided complete and accurate updated maps 2-4E, 3-2E, 7-1C, 7-1E, 7-5, 8-1, 8-5E, pertinent to the 0.04 acre disturbed area increase in BTCA area "V", and culvert removal. Lower culvert C-2D, adjacent to the Lump Coal Bin is proposed to be removed and Ditch D-7D will be extended. No changes to the current ditch configuration/design is necessary with this proposal.

Findings:

The plan meets the minimum requirements of this section except to provide a clear and concise amendment. The discussion(s) related to BTCA area "V" must be updated.

R645-301-120. Provide revised text for incorporation into the plan as it relates to BTCA area "V".

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Recommendation:

It is recommended that this plan be approved upon the condition that updated text related to BTCA area "V" be provided with the clean copies to be incorporated into the plan.

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